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PREPARING FOR A LIVELY TIME. Oak Hill Democratic Club Making Spirited Campaign.

arrangements for a rotteling meeting and demonstration at its hard on Morgan Ford rend and Junista street within a week

Well-known speakers will be procured for Well-known speakers will be procured for the event, and the club gives assurance of a spirited meeting. A special meeting will be neld in the ball Weinstein print, after which the entire club, he arrong, will march to Multis Hall, Sarah street and Manchester avenue, to participate in the reception to be temered to A it. Duckery, the next Governor of Missouri.

The Oak Hill Democratic Club to ardently active for Bryan, Sevenson and Duckery, George Stockwell is president; i. J. Bullingall, vice president; Walter P. Edimal, secretary; John Kammerlein, treesurer, and George Gortenbach, see statarns, At the meeting held Friday night the club is

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\$2.19 For Men's strictly good wearing Shoes—double and triple soles -welts and McKay sewed, the latest lasts-box calf, grain and vici, good wear and a stylish aboe, and nearly a dollar saved.

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we full stack.

We now have under one roof the largest Hosemington, ill. Sept. 7.—This is subflee tack of pienos in the city, we believe the pienos in the christian Church of Illimis, esting of the best and must reliable makes and will be colebrated in a notable method. insergments.

Inversion heard the "Apollo" phana in this city next week, beginning detailer to lyer? Come in and marr it. With the pollo" you can have the "old master sciences" with you always their master to payed by the "Apollo" better than taming nature the "Apollo" is the greater of the 7th churches in Illinois sending view of the 2th court with school or more delegates.

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The railroads have granted low rates, and a large attendance is anticipated. A recep-tion will be given to the visitors Monday evening, after which the following pro-

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WEDNESDAY, OCT, 1-FORENOON, 5:09-Devotions, 5:15-Envolument and appointment of commit-

5 15 Reports of Board of Directors. 18 0 President's mairies Judge d. J. Scofield.

2:56-Devetions. 2:56-Deports on our Sunday schools in Hinois. 2.13-Andress, Odonei Jenathus Merriam, president ADU-interest Lungue, Chiongo, s.W.-Enterprisest business.
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7:20 Devotions
8:00 The Disciples of Christ and the Problems
of the Laboring People, W. S. Carter, editor of the Laboring People, W. S. Carter, enter Lecumotics Firemen's Magazine, Peorla, and Practs G. Tyrreti, Chicago,

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LIGHTNING'S STRANGE PRANK.

Picks Up a Woman and Then Drops Her Suddenly.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Sept. 15.—Here is a woman, Mrs. Ernest Dick, who was struck by lightning early in the morning and who lives to tell or it.

"It happened like a fissh," says Mrs. Dick, which is an admirably correct description. Dick, which is an admirably correct description.

Mrs. Dick and her husband, Ernest, live at 5-a Cliff, L. L. and a man named Jones at 5-a Cliff, L. L. and a man named Jones boards with them. At 4400 o'clock yesterday merning a terrific storm, a downpour of rain, with ratifling thomesr and vivid lightning, passed over 5-a Cliff. The storm awoke the Pichs and Jones, and they arose and dressed lest something happen.

After an hour the storm's tury abated. Mrs. Pick went down stairs to prepare breakfast, Jones was in the kitchen, too; Mr. Dick was sented at a table in a room persuas shaving himself, when a sheet of blinding white light enveloped the house, instantly followed by a casfening crash.

To Jones it seemed that the lightning entered a kitchen window, crossing the room and went out at another window. In its course is picked up Mrs. Jones, carried her a few feet and threw her tenseless on the floor.

The Ritchen was at once filled with smoke and a strong odor of sulphur. When Jones got his wits about him and could see, he roised Mrs. Dick, who he was sure was dead. But she quickly recovered her senses, shricked and constantly maaned; "On, my les! My left lea!"
She was certain her left leg had been torn from her body. Yet it was not even bruleed, nor did the lightning do any damage in the kitchen or leave a trace of its course.

leks.
From the closet the eccentric holt jumped the leg of the table where hir, Pick sat if ran down the table leg and across the p of the table.

A neighbor of the Dicks. Miss Carrier eas, was in her bad in a room not more an elgat or ten yards from the closet here the lightning struck. She looked out the window just as the crash came. She id that for a moment it looked as if the bads of the Dick house was wranged in

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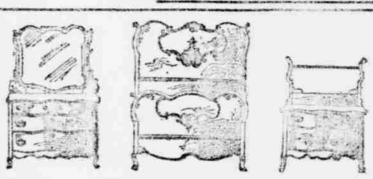
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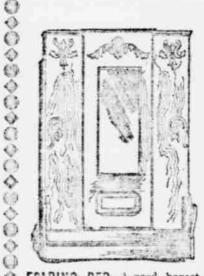


For months we have been planning and preparing to outdo anything and everything heretofore attempted in a furniture selling. Our plans have been carefully and thoroughly laid. By giving most extraordinary values we calculate on making this Annual October Sale the greatest in our history. No such resolute selling has ever been undertaken before. All the goods offered at this sale will be of our usual high standard.

"IF IT COMES FROM D. SOMMERS & CO. IT WILL WEAR."



Bedroom Suite -(like cut)-a very elegant design. The dresser is made with serpentine shaped drawers, and the mirror is a superb piece of French plate. Rich flaked golden oak or mahogany—an ideal bedroom suite, worth \$50.00—
Our October Sale Price ....

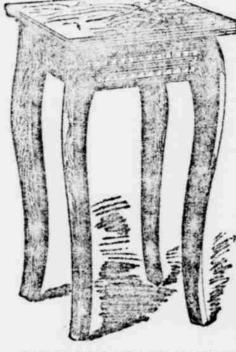


FOLDING BED-A good, honest-made bed, The orusmenting is done with very dainty effect; has a large bev eled mirror; is highly finished This is a splendid bargain-worth \$29.00. Our October Sale Price,

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HEATING STOVE (like cut)— this is a charming, ornamental pattern, and a very powerful heater. Has large size feed door, brilliant mics doors, shaking and dumping grate, high-ly nickeled, worth \$10.00. Our October Sale Price.



## JARDINIERE STAND

(like cut), 1500 only; graceful in design, thoroughly well made and highly finished; golden oak finish only; stands 18 inches high, top 12 inches square; worth 75c. Our price





SIDEROARDS (like cut) -A new fall patters; charming in every particularhighly polished, daintily carved and equipped with everything that is desirable in a sideboard; large



thoroughly well made range—is made of heavy gauged steel, besutifully enameled and elaborately nickeled; large oven; sectional top —worth \$32.50. Our October Sale Price



EXTENSION TABLE (Like cut) -a very hand shaped rim, large round top and fluted legs; it

is highly poteshed and has a very massive appearance.
There is nothing newer or more stylian than a round table. Worth 29.00
Our October Sale Price...

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS—We have every first-class make repre-

ROOM RUGS-Made in Brancels, Velvets, Mo-quettes, Axminsters, beautifully bordered designs, made to fit any room. Our price begins at \$9.85

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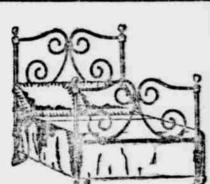
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ety of new and stylish patterns. 75c

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They combine beauty and service.



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SPECIALS. ROCKERS, \$2.75 ROCKERS, \$2.75 ROCKERS. bining chairs, worth \$1,00 ..................................63c WARDROBES, \$4.95 WARDROBES, DRESSERS, \$7.25

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well made and will give years of service; heavy pillars, bicycle enamel, brass trimmed-a hig bargain. Worth #7 50. SPECIALS.

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Worth 85.50 ..... \$3.50 

Rich Ore Brought to the Surface

CHIPFONIERS,

worth 85.00 ......\$4.25

of the habit, but without effect. At least be can her off, and she delified to the lower section of this city and became a wreck of iter former self.

Russell picted her and engared a room for her in the longing-house where she died, and gave money in the clerk of the house with which to supply her with food and clothing.

Jardioleres and Pedestals

Complete, only fi for both; others up to 315, at Mermod & Juccard's, Brondway and Locust.

Territory Editors Elect Officers.

REPHILID SPECIAL.

Vinits, I. T., Sep. 28.—The Indian Territory those Association slaceted officers this morning for the cusuing year as follows: President, S. S. Case of the Purcell Register; third vice president, S. S. Case of the Purcell Register; third vice president, J. Y. Schenek of the Anthers Democrat. Executive Committee Mrs. Urs Eddelman of the Twin Territories, D. T. Nesbit of the Aramorite and K. W. Whitmer of the Choestal King, and the self-time of the content for a Queen of the Farmers Free Fair, which will be held in this city next week, closes to-night at 12 o'clock, Rusy Lawson, daught the order of the Choestal King, Julia Austin and Mayme Jacobs are very close to Miss Lawson. The ecremonies a rimining the Edition of the Jucca Wednesday write the estaborate, Friday will be School Chilled the Country of the Queen Wednesday write the schotale, Friday will be School Chilled the Country of th

MINE UNDER DENVER STREETS. raising and barbecue of unusual proportions yeaterday afterance at unusual proportions yeaterday afterance and evening at Valley Park. Special trains on the Frisco Line were provided, and a large growd of enthustasts was conveyed to the place. Among the speakers were the candidates on the Demoeratic ticket for county offices, State Sena-tor Prank W. Farris, Sam Byrne and Licu-

×Į	to the leg of the table where Mr. Dick sat	Jardinleres and Pedestals	the man who built the opera-house and	Marriage Licenses.
	and ran down the table leg and across the	Complete, only 54 for both; others up to	gave the Government the land for the Fed-	R. H. Nordhoff
. 1	top of the table.	\$15; at Mermod & Juccard's, Broadway and	eral building, died in poverty, wrecked by	Ottellte S. Krause
1	A neighbor of the Dicks, Miss Carrier	Locust	mining speculations after having made a	R. J. Fruin
	Hess, was in her bed in a room not more	SOCIETY.	fortune in mines.	Mary Horen Din Howin Jesterson
-1	than elant or ten yards from the closet	Territory Editors Elect Officers.	A man bottog a water hole in the alley	August A. Fleman
- 6	where the lightning struck. She looked out	TREFULLIO SPECIAL	between the two buildings struck one this morning. This appropries occasioned ex-	Jerendah V. Leary
ъŧ.	of the window just as the crash came. She	Vinits, L. T., Sep. 29.—The Indian Terri-	elterment in the vicinity of Statement and	Leura Reghtmyer
: 1	and that for a moment it looked as if the	lory trass Association elected officers this	Aropahoe streets, Crowds rushing late the	John H. Stephensmeler (280 Ployment
	whole of the Dick house was wrapped in	morning for the ensuing year as follows:	alley in the rear of the Pederal building	Catherine C. Rick
- 8	flame.	Preshout, B. F. Jone of the South Me-	and enterly grabbed the bits of rich-looking	Edward E. Falerty 1845 South Thirteenth
	The Delicate Muscles of the Eye	Alester Capital; first vice president, N. G. Buckley of the Wytnewood Truth; second	ore which tay upon the payement around the	Mrs. Lizzie Dawer
: 1	Should not be strained. At the first sign	vice president, S. S. Case of the Purcell	artesian well, which is being drilled to fur-	Celsus R. Thornhill
11		Register; third vice president, J. Y. Schenck	nish water for the Opera-house block.	Join Weenig
t f	of weakness consult Doctor Bond, expert	of the Antiers Democrat, Executive Com-	The five-inch pape that sinks into the earth	Emma Stengel
	optician, at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway	mitte- Mrs. Ura Eddelman of the Twin-	has hitherto brought up nothing but gand	Charles P Kuhl obe k the Pleasant
1	and Locust, EXAMINATION FREE, Steel	Territories, D. T. Neabit of the Ardmorite	and mud, but at noon to-day ore, with hig vellow lurges in it, were carried to the sur-	Annu Weise bergerCollinsville, III
- 1	frames, \$1 and up; gold, \$5 and up.	and K. W. Whitmore of the Chocotah Kn-	face, and the excitement followed,	A. F. Blancksert
1	Timmen' to see of a second for second selection	quirer. The excursionists departed for Kan-	John M. Mitchell, an old minor, who is	Charles Gham 1418 Warren
1	DEAUTIEU ADUM WIDERY	PAS CITY ENGLISH FORMS	employed near-by, was summoned. He pro-	Junio Keller
91	BEAUTIFUL OPIUM WRECK.	Contest for Queen Nears Close.	beanced the ore the richest kind of pea-	M. V. Cunningham
3 [		REPUBLIC SPECIAL	cock gold.	Exte Donleit
1	Once the Wife of a New York	Effingham, Ill., Sept. 29 The contest for	There's a paying body of ore fight under	Fred Williams
	Parker Che Ities in Canalan	a Queen of the Farmers' Free Fair, which	this alley and these buildings," be ex-	Charite Copaland
1	Banker, She Dies in Squalor.	will be held in this city next week, closes	there's no mistaking the real stuff Why.	Betty Smith
1		to-night at 12 o'clock. Rusy Lawson, daugh- ter of Postmister Lawson, is leading, June	this rock ought to no \$1,000 a ton. Further	William Mullen Baden, Mo
	New York, Sept. 29In a squalid room in	Austin and Mayme Jacobs are very close	investigation and drilling will be necessary	Effic MacLenn
. 1	a cheap East Side lodging-house Mrs. Fan- nie Hussell, wife of Bay Russell, promi-	to Miss Lawson. The ceremonies attenuing	to determine the extent of the ore body, if	L. E. Ostranior
1	nently connected with the banking firm of	the crawning of the Queen Wednesday setti	one exists. The well men are confident that	Mait Years,
	Brown Bros. & Co., is dead from an over-	be statorate. Priday will be School Chil-	the ore was found in place, but doubterst	Floregen Percett
	dose of a narcotte,	dren's Day.	suggest that the well may have been saited.	Arthur Williams
1	Early in life the woman possessed ex-	DOCTOR BERNAYS	BARBECUE AT VALLEY PARK.	Battie Smith
1	ceptional benuty. Russell met her and mar-	DOGION DENNAIS		Falld Cald Waddley Divers
1	riage followed. For several years the couple lived most happily, and then she	Desires to inform his friends in the profes-	St. Louis County Democrats Listen to	Solid Gold Wedding Rings.
J	fell a victim to oplum. Her husband spent	1 MOD LOAD DE DIE THE THEFT From Mis tracking	Candidates and Other Orators.	Newest designs, \$1 to \$20, at Mermod &
	have a traine to abrown your monoming obeing	was recommend the configurat Motal	St. Louis County Democracy had a flag-	Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust,

ROOSEVELT'S CARRIAGE DRIVE.

Any Afternoon, October 9,
The Rossevelt Reception Committee met
yesterday afternoon and arranged the foiNorth Market street.

E. C. MAHANEY FOR STATE SENATE.

Nominated by Acclaunation at Clayton
Democratic Convention.

Yesteriay was a gain day for the Democratic of St. Louis County. In the morning the Twenty fifth Data in the Convention was called to order by James A. Hereford of Fergusen, the chairman of the Senatorial Committee, Delegates were present from St. Louis, Frankila, Gasconade and Osage counties.

Mahaney is the station agent of the Missouri Packine Railway Company at Barreits, is 22 years old, and is considered one of the brightest young men in the ranks of St. Louis County Democracy. His nomination was made by acclamation.

While the convention was in session the Executive Committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county idenet. The committee rule in the Argus office and made preparations to wase a vigorous column to the county i